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## BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
 OF NEW HORIZONS COMMUNICATIONS  
 CORP. DBA NHC COMMUNICATIONS,  
 INC. FOR APPROVAL OF A CERTIFICATE  
 OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO  
 PROVIDE RESOLD LONG DISTANCE,  
 RESOLD LOCAL EXCHANGE, AND  
 FACILITIES-BASED LOCAL EXCHANGE  
 TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES.

DOCKET NO. T-20529A-14-0392

**PROCEDURAL ORDER**  
**(Granting Request to Appear**  
**Telephonically)**

**BY THE COMMISSION:**

On November 17, 2014, New Horizons Communications Corp. dba NHC Communications, Inc. ("NHC") filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") an application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("CC&N"), to provide resold long distance, resold local exchange, and facilities-based local exchange telecommunication services on a statewide basis in Arizona.

On February 13, 2015, NHC filed a revised proposed tariff in an amendment to its application.

Also on February 13, 2015, NHC filed its Responses to Commission's Utilities Division's ("Staff") First Set of Data Requests.

On March 5, 2015, NHC filed a supplement to its response filed on February 13, 2015.

On March 26, 2015, a change of address was filed for Michael W. Patten, Attorney for NHC.

On April 1, 2015, NHC filed a replacement page to its proposed tariff as a supplement to its application.

Also on April 1, 2015, NHC filed its Responses to Staff's Second Set of Data Requests.

On April 6, 2015, a Notice to the Parties was filed by the Administrative Law Judge assigned to this matter.

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1 On April 9, 2015, NHC filed its Responses to Staff's Third Set of Data Requests.

2 On May 21, 2015, Staff filed its Staff Report recommending approval of NHC's application,  
3 subject to certain conditions.

4 On May 26, 2015, a Procedural Order was issued setting the date for hearing on July 14,  
5 2015, and establishing other procedural deadlines.

6 On May 27, 2015, NHC filed a Request to Appear Telephonically ("Request") for the July 14,  
7 2015 hearing, stating the witness, Mr. Glen Nelson, resides in Massachusetts.

8 Accordingly, the Request should be granted.

9 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that NHC's witness, Mr. Glen Nelson, is authorized to  
10 appear telephonically for the July 14, 2015 hearing.

11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that on the date of and at least five minutes before the time set  
12 for the hearing, NHC's witness shall call 1 (800) 689-9374, passcode 415962#, from a landline  
13 telephone, to participate telephonically in the evidentiary hearing.

14 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that all parties must comply with Arizona Supreme Court Rules  
15 31, 38, and 42 and A.R.S. § 40-243 with respect to practice of law in Arizona and before the  
16 Commission and admission *pro hac vice*.

17 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that withdrawal of representation must be made in compliance  
18 with A.A.C. R14-3-104(E) and Rule 1.16 of the Rules of Professional Conduct (under Arizona  
19 Supreme Court Rule 42). Representation before the Commission includes appearance at all hearings  
20 and procedural conferences, as well as all Open Meetings for which the matter is scheduled for  
21 discussion, unless counsel has previously been granted permission to withdraw by the Administrative  
22 Law Judge or the Commission.

23 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that each party to this matter may opt to receive service of all  
24 Procedural and Recommended Orders issued by the Commission's Hearing Division in this matter  
25 via e-mail rather than U.S. Mail, as permitted under A.A.C. R14-3-107(B). To exercise this option, a  
26 party shall send to HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov, from the e-mail address at which the  
27 party desires to receive service, an e-mail request including the name of the party on whom service is  
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1 to be made and the docket number for this matter. After a party receives an e-mail confirmation of its  
2 request from HearingDivisionServicebyEmail@azcc.gov, the party will receive all future Procedural  
3 and Recommended Orders issued by the Hearing Division in this matter via e-mails to the address  
4 provided by the party, unless and until the party withdraws its request. Service of a document via e-  
5 mail shall be considered complete upon the sending of an e-mail containing the document to the e-  
6 mail address provided by a party, regardless of whether the party receives or reads the e-mail  
7 containing the document.

8 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Ex Parte Rule (A.A.C. R14-3-113 - Unauthorized  
9 Communications) applies to this proceeding and shall remain in effect until the Commission's  
10 Decision in this matter is final and non-appealable.

11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Administrative Law Judge may rescind, alter, amend,  
12 or waive any portion of this Procedural Order either by subsequent Procedural Order or by ruling at  
13 hearing.

14 Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2015.

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17 SASHA PATERNOSTER  
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

18 Copies of the foregoing mailed  
19 this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of June, 2015 to:

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